

House Work is Hard Work without GOLD DUST.

#### MANILA MERCHANT.

ARRESTED FOR AIDING INSURENTS—HIS PARTNER AN AMERICAN.

Manila, Feb. 7.—Theodoro Carranza, a prominent and wealthy Spanish merchant and hemp and coconut buyer, has been arrested, charged with furnishing supplies to aid the insurgents.

Carranza is also a partner of D. M. Carmen, the American contractor and owner of boats, who had considerable transportation contracts with the government.

The provost marshal and service officers have been watching a number of merchants and transportation men for some time past.

The police officials have had a long interview with Carranza, and the arrest of several merchants is expected to result.

#### EDITORIAL NOTE.

Is this Democracy? The Georgetown Times says that in the recent primary elections in Franklin, Owen and Grant, held by the Democrats for nominating county officers, "whiskey flowed like water and men were bought like cattle," and that it is reported that some men spent more money than the annual salary of the officers they sought. Bought offices are always costly offices, to the taxpayers.

Papers which speak of the simplicity of Jefferson's inauguration either purposely or ignorantly misstate facts. The story of the old hero riding to the capitol, driving up and hitching his horse, going to the chief justice and taking the oath in the presence of a few, etc., is a nice yarn, and of whole cloth. History tells the facts on this point, and what history says gives the lie direct to what demagogues state. Simplicity is a grand thing in its place, however, but a well told yarn is not simplicity.

It is claimed that a "ring" has already decreed who are to fill the offices next November, as the approaching primary will verify.

Certain persons in several cities have discovered, so they allege, that the United States census bureau made serious mistakes in the enumeration of the population of their respective towns. If all of these critics are approximately correct in their assertions the United States must have a population in the neighborhood of 100,000,000. The chances are, however, that the count has been nearly correct as any set of men could make it, or the error so slight as to be unworthy of notice. The count will stand until 1910.

Good road commissioners are making the eastern states "garden" spots for a fact. Kentucky should have such a commission and laws which would make effective work possible. But the political things have the old commonwealth by the throat and until they bleed her to their satisfaction they will not loosen the hold.

If half the Democratic candidates say of each other is correct the people will have to depend upon the Republican party for competent men to fill the offices.

Delaware is about to abolish its last relic of barbarism—the whipping post. The fact that the law as stood as long as it has speaks badly for the state. But lately Delaware has come to know itself as a Republican state and hence its moral reformation.

Did Judge Cantrell order Powers returned to the Georgetown jail because he expected a new trial, or was it a pure case of cunningness? Judge Cantrell does more to win criticism than applause.

#### UNUSUAL REQUEST.

A DARKEY WANTED MONEY BACK THAT HAD BEEN "SELECTED."

A darkey accosted Officer C. B. Lescher this morning.

"Mistah p'fessioner," he said, "whu—whut kin yo' do wid lawyah whut selecta yo' money an' keeps it all?"

"I don't know," replied the officer. "How come him to collect your money?"

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The officer informed the man that his case was hopeless.

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#### PADUCAH'S ALTITUDE.

IT IS 249.1 FEET ABOVE THE LEVEL OF THE SEA.

Clerk Oscar Hank, of Weather Observer Bornemann's office, today received from Washington Paducah's official altitude, which is 249.1 feet above the level of the sea.

This is thirteen inches lower than Cairo, Ill. The figures were obtained for the N. C. & St. L. railroad, which is preparing a map of its line out of Paducah.

#### YOUTSEY A CONVICT.

DISPLAYS UTTER INDIFFERENCE WHILE DONNING THE PRISON STRIPES.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—Henry E. Youtsey, of Newport, yesterday entered upon service of a life sentence in the penitentiary for complicity in the murder of William Goebel. He displayed utter indifference while the process of transforming him into a convict was gone through with.

After donning the stripes, Youtsey turned to those about him and said: "As God is my judge, I never harmed a hair on the head of William Goebel. I will closely observe the rules of this institution. I know that its officials must perform the duty assigned them. I will never give them a cross word and will merit none from them."

Youtsey took dinner in the general dining room of the prison and was assigned to a cell. His registered number is 1,568. He will be put to work tomorrow, probably in the caning department of the chair factory.

#### TAKEN TO FRANKFORT.

Frankfort, Feb. 7.—Sheriff Suter, of Franklin, yesterday took Jim Howard to Frankfort. The removal from the jail here was on order of Judge Cantrell. Howard is under sentence of death for the assassination of Gov. Goebel. The case is pending on appeal before the court of appeals and a decision is expected soon.

#### DUKEDOM BURNS.

FIRE DESTROYS LARGE PORTION OF THE TENNESSEE SIDE OF THE TOWN.

Mayfield, Feb. 7.—The best portion of the Tennessee side of Dukedom burned after midnight Tuesday. The telephone line was burned out, and particulars are meager.

The brick store room occupied by Slaughter & Franklin with dry goods, burned with a stock estimated at \$7,000, which was insured.

The frame building, occupied by Pierce & Milam, with groceries, burned, and also two frame warehouses, one of which was occupied by Jackson & Hopkins, with vehicles and implements, and the other by Slaughter with produce.

The entire loss is estimated at \$15,000 or \$20,000.

It is not known how the fire originated.

Slaughter, one of last night's victims, had a serious fire there about a year ago.

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#### DELAWARE'S SENATORIAL LOCK.

By voting to continue in session until March 8, the Delaware legislature has provided against a vacancy in the senate "happening" during the recess which might be filled by the governor's appointment. One vacancy already exists; another will happen on March 4, with the expiration of Senator Kenney's term. The legislature being then in session will have the exclusive power to fill either of these vacancies. Unless it should do so before its adjournment, they must remain unfilled until it shall meet again.

This is in accordance with the decisions of the United States senate which will not now be reversed. And it is clearly in accordance with sound constitutional principles. It would be better to elect senators by the popular vote, but since the election is left to the legislature of each state, as representing the whole body of electors, the legislature alone is responsible to the people for the exercise of its delegated power.

The legislature of Delaware is split into three factions—all firmly set in their determinations to win—and a failure to elect senators seems now a certainty. The conditions are unusual, there being two senators to elect.

The Democratic conventions and primaries are coming on and there are rows on hand and in prospect. The reports from a convention in Kenton county put to shame the notorious Louisville Music hall affair, the bulldozing element being on top. From Fulton and Hickman county comes similar accounts of a convention held to name a representative and there are charges and counter charges, with two nominees, had feeling and all else which offends politics so disgusting. There may come an adjustment, as the committee of Hickman county has asked for a new deal, but it is not likely the would-be bulldozing gang will take any notice of the request.

There is a bad state of affairs, politically speaking, however, in more parts of the state than Kenton and Fulton and Hickman counties, and it all seems to come from too much Goebelism.

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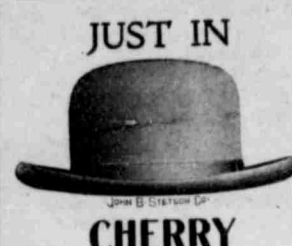


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#### IN AUGUST.

THE SENATORIAL CONVENTION TO BE HELD AT BARDWELL AUGUST 10.

The Second district senatorial committee met at the Palmer House late yesterday afternoon, and those in attendance, representing chairmen of the county committees of McCracken, Ballard, Marshall and Carlisle counties, were:

Joe E. Potter, McCracken; L. E. Dodd, Marshall; W. R. Haselwood, Carlisle, and John M. Dennis, proxy, Ballard.

Mr. Joe Potter was made permanent chairman and Attorney Jas. B. Ray secretary.

On motion it was decided to hold conventions at each voting precinct, in said district, on Saturday, August 3, 1901, at 2 p. m. to select and instruct delegates to a district convention to be held at Bardwell, Saturday, August 10, 1901, at 2 p. m., to name a Democratic nominee for state senator.

That each precinct be entitled to one delegate for each 100 Democratic votes and fractional part over 50, as cast and determined in the presidential election in November, 1900.

The qualifications of voters in said precinct conventions shall be all known Democrats, all who voted for Bryan or Beckham, and all young men who attain their majority before the November election, 1901, and who announce their intention of affiliating with the Democratic party.

The number of delegates, under the above, will be McCracken 30, Ballard 19, Carlisle 16, Marshall 16. The probable candidates are: Mc D. Ferguson and J. R. Lemon, Paducah; Warner Moore, Jr., Benton; Judge T. T. Gardner, Carlisle, and Attorney Wm. Dance, Ballard.

#### MORE RECRUITS

OFFICER ZOLLOMAN WILL RE-MAIN HERE UNTIL FEBRUARY 28.

Recruiting Officer Zolloman has received instructions to remain in Paducah until February 28th, and desires 400 men for Philippine and United States service. He has been here about three months, and the local office has proved proportionately better recruiting station than Louisville.

Officer Zolloman today received notice of the suicide at Louisville of Charles Clouser, U. S. A., who was clerk in the office there. He had been on a drunk, and took morphine.

Cast Steel Made Long Ago.

The manufacture of cast steel in India can be traced back for over 2,000 years, while there are also examples of wrought iron work nearly as old. Near Delhi, close to the Kurma, there is an enormous wrought iron pillar which weighs ten tons, and thought to be over 1,800 years old.

#### JOKE WHICH ANGERED.

CLUB RAIDED BY POLICE AT REQUEST OF FRANKLIN HOST.

Burlington, Ia., dispatch: The other night, while the Tip Top Card club was meeting at the home of a prominent member on Prospect Hill, the place was raided by the police. Both men and women, some of them high in the Methodist church, were present, and there was a general scramble at the presence of the police. Several women fainted, while others soundly berated the officers of the law. Most of them were unprovided with money for their appearance and had dark visions of a night in a dark and gloomy prison cell, when the host relieved the situation by agreeing to stand good for the party and furnish the necessary bail. In the meantime a half dozen of the more prominent members had disappeared down the street to get funds to bail out their wives. Others were arguing with Sergt. Schalay over what constituted gambling. He claimed that playing for prizes of any kind was a crime under the Iowa statutes. When quiet was finally restored, and the police departed after securing promises that all concerned should appear in the police court in the morning, the host explained that the whole affair was a joke. This had made some of the victims even more angry than at the indignity caused by their arrest, and the host and hostess came nearly being mobbed by the angry guests.

#### CAUGHT AT LAST.

Roseland, B. C., Feb. 7.—Chas. A. Hinkley, alias Chas. S. Morris, has been arrested in Concoy, in Washington. Hinkley was the paying teller of the West Side bank, New York, from the time it started in 1868 to May 1, 1881. On that day he disappeared and with him went \$97,000 of the bank's funds. It is claimed he went back in disguise when his wife died several years afterwards and attended her funeral. Hinkley is now 55 years old.

#### BROKE JAIL AT MAYFIELD.

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 8.—Albert Bowlin, arrested several weeks ago, charged with forging three checks on the Farmers' warehouse, escaped from the county jail last night by sawing bars from the jail window. The instruments used are believed to have been delivered to him by his wife, who visited him yesterday afternoon.

Drawings of Greek sarcophagus.

The statue of Turkey has given Joseph Linden Smith, the Boston artist, permission to make drawings of the great Greek sarcophagus from Ladon, which was discovered in Phoenicia in 1887 and is believed to belong to the fourth century, B. C. The sultan has decorated Mr. Smith in recognition of his skill, and likewise Mrs. Smith "for her beauty, intelligence and virtue."

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